

America East Women's Basketball Championship Quarterfinal No. 1: No. 3 Stony Brook vs. No. 6 Hartford Postgame Quotes

Stony Brook

Head Coach Caroline McCombs

"I was really proud of how our team came out and played today. We played inspired defense which really opened up our offense. We played well on both sides of the floor today."

"Defensively, our goal today was not to allow open three-point shots. Our team practiced it all week and focused on it today."

"The three-point field goals we hit in the first half really opened up the inside for Brittany (Snow). We spend a lot of time the past two days putting up a lot of shots to prepare for this game."

Brittany Snow

"My teammates fed me the ball today and I got some good looks. It was important for us to come out today and throw the first punch. We started off the game very strong."

Christa Scognamiglio

"We fought back after Hartford made their run in the third period. We were able to keep playing strong."

Hartford

Head Coach Jen Rizzotti

"We are disappointed. We came into this weekend with high hopes even though we did not have the experience that we did last year. I feel for the girls, especially our seniors."

"Early in the game, we were getting our shots and running our offense, but we could not finish our chances. You can run a good offense but finishing is the key."

"We we got down, we extended our pressure defense to get back in the game but you can't play that way an entire game. You get tired doing that."

Janelle Harrison

"We struggled to finish in the first half. We had a focus on finishing our shots or finding a good shot for our teammates. But that didn't happen."

La'Trice Hall

"We are confident coming back next year. We have a lot of young players who gained experience this year. We got to keep working hard to improve."